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H. Fenwick. The Germ-Plasm: A I heory of Heredity, by A. The Testimony of the Teeth, by F. H. Balkwill.

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Hongkong, 17th May, 1893.

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pany's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 18th May, 1893 STEAMSHIP "SAGHALIEN."

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Bills of 1 ading will be countersigned by the Goods remaining unclaimed after WEDNES-DAY, the 24th inst. at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before WEDNESDAY, the 24th inst,, or they will not be recognised.

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> will be CLOSED from the 4th to the 18th inst., GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 18th May, 1898.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED. TOTICE is bereby given that the ORDIN-ARY GENERAL MEETING of the COMPANY will be held at the Hongkong DIE-PENSARY, on SATURDAY, the 20th instant, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, together with a statement of Account to the Stat December. 1892.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 17th instant, till Tursnay, the 23rd lustant, both days in-[8.4] clusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered

A. H. MANCELL, Hongkong, 12th May, 1893 THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given, that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENRAL MEETING "THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED," will be held at the 11167 OFFICES of the COMPANY, No. 2, Queen's Road. Central, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong. on FRIDAY, the 26th day of MAY, 1893, at o'clock in the Afternoon, when the subjoined

Resolution which was passed at the Extraordin-ary General Meeting of the Company held on the First day of May, 1893, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution :---That the first Subsection of Article 103 of the Articles of Association of The China Fire Insurance Company, Limited with its marginal note, he expunged, and that in lieu thereof the following Sub-section and marginal note be inserted, viz : -Invest 1st .- It may invest the Funds of the

ment Company in or upon English, Indian, of and Hongkong Government Stocks Honds, and Funds, and in or upon the Stocks, Bonds, Funds, and Securities of any Foreign Government, Country, or State, and upon Mortgage of freehold or leasehold property in Hongkong or else-where, and in or upon deposits with or loans at interest to any Benking Institutions wherever established and in 291 or upon such other Securities as it may in its discretion think fit, and may from time to time convert or realize any monies so invested and re-invest the same in or upon any of the Securities aforesaid as occasion requires.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, [1041 Hongkong, 2nd May, 1893.

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NOTICE.

SHARES of this Company will be with the Messnage thereon known as No. 26, TRANSFERRED on which the Calls on the WEST STREET, Victoria aforesaid. New Shares standing in the same name remain By Order

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R. LYALL. Hongkong, 11th April, 1893. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. MR. SASSOON'S CUP and SPOONS will be Shot for on SATURDAY, the 20th

Hon. Secretary. 1 a 186 Hongkong, 16th May, 1893.

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TO-DAY (THURSDAY), the 18th day of Max. 1898. at So'clock in the Afternoon. at the Promises. OT 1.-All that Piece or Parcel of Ground being INLA D LOT No. 168D, together rious subjects connected with China, by J. with the Messuage thereon known as No. 35,

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12.80 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour 3.80 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every quarter of an hour Night cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. and from 9.45 p.m. to llite p.m. every half hour. Extra care at 11.00 and 11.45 p.m.

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ARRIVALS. May 16, DEUTEROS, German str., 1,198, W. A. Dinse, Saigon 12th May, Rice and Paddy. -Siemssen & Co. May 17, JAYA, British str., 2,632, T. N. Tillard,

Goddard, Foodhow 14th May. Amoy 15th, and Swatow 16th, Tea and General. DOUGLAS DAPRAIK & CO. May 17, CHOYBANG, British str., 1,194, Robert C. D. Bradley. Shanghai 13th May, General.-JAUDINE, MATHEBON & Co. May 17, SAGHALIEN, Franch steamer, 2,085

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Kwanglee, Chinese str., for Shangial. DEPARTURES. May 17, ULESSES, British str., for Amoy.

May 17, Asagao, Japanese str., for Nagusaki. May 17, GLENORCHY, Brit. str., for Yokohama. May 17, KWANGLEE, Chinese str., for Shanghai. May 17, CHOYSANG, British str., for Canton. May 17, THERMOPYLE, But; ship: for Victoria PASSENUELS.

Mr. and Mrs Pforts, and family, Mr Brun. and prisoner Malbrooke Fraser Per S ghalien, str, for Hongkong from Marseilles - aron de Biegeleb n and Mass de Biegeleben, Messrs. White, Cowland, and Claubois. From Batavia.—Mr. Paul : bray. From Singa-pose.—Mr. and Mrs. Machine Post and four

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Singapore 10th May, General -P. & O. S. May 17, HATTAN. British str., 1,182, F. D.

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Morris. Bangkok 9th May, Rice and Gone-ral.—Yuen Fat Hong.

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May 17, FREJ . Danish str., for Holbow. May 17, JACOB DIEDMICHSEN, German str., for May 17. NAT L. French str., for Europe.

Per Java. str. from Singapore. - 183 Chinese. Per Haitan, str. from East Coast.-Mr. Harsloop, and 162 t hinese. Per Choysang, str., from Shanghei for Amoy.

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children, Mrs. Boomen , Mr. and Mrs. Keng Hong and infant. Mrs. Seng Kin and infant, Sister S' Pemstand, and Mr. Ahmahmotoh. For Shanghai from Marseilles.-Mrs. Elisa Guaita, Mr. Mossinot, Revs. Berruyer, Pebieste, Morison, Chagan, Rappet, and Courams, From Singapore, - Mesers. Garwood and Kan Hoe. From Saigon - Messas, Seguillos, Pagrion, and Avel. For Kobs from Singspore - Mr. Sakabe. For Yokohama from Marseilles. - Mesers. Motaro-Yoskunatsu, Sato, and S. Takayo. From Colombo .- Miss S. G. Geason. From Batavis .-Mr. Bervoets. From Singapore,-Mrs. W. Maxwell; Mrs. Mordid, and Mr. A. Becker, From Saigon.-Messrs. Framont, Mondat, Re-

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and Yoshizaki. Per Saghalien_ str., from Hongkong for Shanghai.-Miss V. (layton, Mesers. H. A. Ritchie, G. C. de Souza, A. Matta, W. H. Orchard, and P. Bloch. For Kobe .- Mr. Sasaki, and Miss S. Sato. For Yokohama.-Mr. N. J. cation at the Office of the Company, 38 and 40, Gemes, and Miss O; Harow.

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On the 16th May, at Bremen, the wife of Sr. C. MICHARLSEN, of a daughter MARRIAGES.

On the 4th April, at 11. Strathearn place. Edinburg, by the Rev. Archibald Scott, D.D., JOHN HAR. INGTON GUBBINS, Second Secretary to H.B.M.'s from Saigen. Legation, Tokyo, Japan, to Helen Brodie, eldest daughter of Colin Alexander McVean, J.P., Kil-liemore House, Mull, Argyllabire. On the 8th April, at St. Mark's, Regent's-park, N.W., WILLIAM HAMES, Surgeon R.N., to MAUDE Knockhall, Greenhithe, Kent. DEATHS. ANNIE, eldest daughter of W. T. F. M. INGALL, of

Og the let April, James EDMUND Bush, of 62. fordship Park, London, N., late of Newchwang, Chine, aged 53. On the 8th April, at Cashiobury House, Ware, or soute moningitis. RICHARD JOHN ARBOTT, Chinese

HONGKONG, MAY 18TR, 1893.

THE Chinese emigrant, shut out from Australia and the United States, would receive a warm welcome in Brazil if he were allowed to go there. That country has for some time past been endeavouring to induce immigration on a large scale, and the seems disposed to give favourable consideration to the project. Indeed it is said that during his approaching visit to England the Hon. J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART will be Colonial Office on the subject, and if they approve he may probably go to Brazil to on April 17th. make inquiries on the spot as to the emigrants. On the fatter point something case is one in which guarantees could possess little value since there would be no possible means of enforcing them. It will be China's duty to look after the interests of those of her subjects that may go to Braarising the most that Great Britain could do would be to stop the emigration from this port, as she did that to Peru after the atrocities in that country were brought to light. The honour and respectability of citing race it was amusing to hear two ladies Brazil form in themselves the only possible guarantees. Article XIII. of the treaty be- on the lawn-? The winner came in before they the Permanent Building and Banking Society, port. Monday at noon we had towed during the tween Brazil and China provides that Chinese subjects in Brazil shall have free access to the courts of justice of that country for but judgment as to their success must be rethe defence of their just rights; and that they shall enjoy in this respect the same rights and privileges as the Brazilians and the subjects of the most favoured nation. If Brazil chooses to carry out this engagement honestly, well and good; if not, Great Britain lies under no obligation to compel her and China must be left to take such measures for the protection of her subjects ss she may deem necessary. It would seem superogatory to lay stress on this point were it not for the fact that a singular idea appears to be entertained in some quarters that Great Britain would in some way be able to extend the segis of her protection over the coolle after life strivel to Brazili

which is of course impossible. If the emigration be permitted from this Colony while passing through, that they were acting of their own free will and had not been imfor the purpose; but beyond that its responsibility could not extend.

After the disclosure of the Peruvian not be permitted from this Colony. the proper treatment of the emigrants. When Mr. STEWART-LOCKHART approaches. the Colonial Office he will be confronted with this decision and it is doubtful whether he will be able to induce the home Government however, when the decision might well be revised. There are on the one hand various. countries in need of labour for the develop-The purest ingredients only are used, and the ment of their resources, and on the other atmost care and elempiness are exercised in the hand we have a teeming population barely able to earn a subsistence at home and anxious to find an outlet for its energies. point from which the emigration can be conducted, and unless very-good cause can be that we should interdict the trade. Twenty Peru and Cuba were considered sufficient For Coast Ponts, Waters are packed and justification for the decision that contract placed on board ship at Hongkong prices; and emigration should not be permitted except

stances are somewhat different now. For should not appoint Consuls to watch over case further emigration could be stopped and redress be demanded on behulf of the sufferers. It is believed that the Chinese tion from China to Brazil established, and \$10,247 18s. Id. brought forward, amount to in her first effort) to reach Ilcilo to load angar if that be so the matter virtually rests with Octoberlast absorbed £28,000, leaving £43,855 2s. so seriously crippled her and which will necesthe British Government to say whether it 10d. out of which the directors propose that a distate a stay in Hongkong of several week. shall be conducted from this colony or not vidend be declared for the second half of the year The history of one typhoon as it affects its Hongkong it is very possible that some be carried forward. The directors have agreed to the incidents that led up to the Somali being other point of departure may be selected and we will then lose whatever profits there ed by this bank being reduced from £100,000 to arristy of the thirty-sight souls on board during doing any real good. Of course nothing in the nature of a virtual slave trade, nothing that could reflect discredit upon our flag, by exchange from England to India, and thence signals of dis ress, may better be imagined than to Uhina and America, whence it returns to described. Singular response to their described. unobjectionable the trade is one which would England, are given in the present number of described. Singapore was left on 21st March, the be very welcome to the Colony, especially in of eighty days it was only diminished by about when she encountered moderate N.E. winds with the present depressed state of affairs. The 5t per cent, for banking commission, postage, hard squalls and a high cross sea. At half-past six stoppage of the emigration trade to the &c., in four countries. The statement has the topmast staysails were set, but so severe United States and Australia was a severe manager of the Delhi and London Bank. blow to the prosperity of Hongkong, and it operation was as follows .- On July 1, 1892. would be proportionally gratifying if the loss Calcutta on July 23. On July 23 remit Rs. sustained in that direction could be made 7.710.18.6 to Hongkong at Re 224 per \$100-

The delivery of the French mail was begun at i,50 p.m. yest⊬idny. The British gunbout Plover arrived yesterday rom Macclestield Bank.

to other countries where the Chinese labourer

fair treatment.

yesterday for this port.

The "vasian gunboat Silatch and the torpedo honts Narguen and Gogland arrived yesterday The O. S. S. steamer Diomed left Singapore

or about the 28rd inst.

couver on Tuesday morning for Hongkong via expected in a short time from Hongkong and an hour later the mercury rose Yokohama, Kobe, Nagusaki, and Shangbal. Baron de Biegeleben, Austrian Minister to 'hius, and Miss de Biegeleben, were passens era |

which arrived yesterday. According to last mail advices Sir Thomas Francis Wade, G.C.M.G., had left England for Gibraltar in hopes of benefiting his health.

which has not been quite satisfactory of late, Mr. Wotton having resigned his scat on the longkong board of the National Bank of Chipa-(Limited), in consequence of intended residence the Head Commissioner for Yangchow of the laway, bringing everything down with it. As a London, has been elected a member of the London committee, in succession to Mr. Carmi- Pao Chia Chu really mean, having lately heard no one on board heard the mast break. The chael, resigned.

against it, the regulation in the Geary Bill, tions, that official immediately sent his soldiers her on the les sale. Axes, cold chisels, and everyproviding that the declaration of residence to be and spies throughout Yangchow and auburbs thing available were get out and a start made furnished by every Chicaman in the United to arrest the mischief makers. As soon as to clear away the wreckage, The ship by this Hongkong Government, from what we hear, States shall be accompanied by his photograph, this was known, the city became quiet at time was drifting helplessly about and was in has been respinded.

In connection with the financial crisis in in stopping incipient rious, posted a proclams- damaged, the jigger masts were also damaged, Australia it may be mentioned that the victims tion in front of all the gates of Yangohow as and the fore yard with truss lift and braces were are rotalisting upon the financiers with personal well as in the suburbs-in fact, wherever his carried away, as were also three boats. A look violence. A labourer who lost £100 in a fluan- jurisdiction extended—calling upon people of all round the deck yesterday showed that the top commissioned to see the authorities at the cial institution with which Mr. Muuro, late conditions not to give credence to the unfound- gallant bulwarks are bent, but the damage on Agent-General, was so meeted, violently assault- ed stories of rowdies and loose characters, who deck is inconsiderable. A foreign seaman has al that gentleman in the streets of Melbourne are anxious to create disturbances in order to been slightly injured, but how he met with the

prospects the country offers for Chinese Customs duties at Vladivostock have recently emigration and the proper treatment of the been raised very considerably, the duty on a box o soap worth 32 being now the equivalent of grounds of philanthropy as are Chinese institu- Left Kutchinotsu for Singapore May 7th, hid about Tis. 6. It appears that there was a lurge has been said about "guarantees," but the stock of this luxury at the Russian port, and it is now being shipped back to Chinese and

Private Hospital of the Brother Saint Jean de stitutions, will be punished to the full extent of and requiring assistance. She was on a passage Dien, in Paris, at the great ugo of eighty seven. His career as a sonman extended a long way zil, and in the event of any s-rious abuses back into the contury. He was in 1826 a member of the Dumont d'Urville Expedition, and came to China as captain in L'Archimedo. the first steamer that doubled the Cape of Good Hope.

> In some notes on dress at the Singapore Races the Straits Times says :- During the most exhaving an amicable wrangle as to the momentons Commercial Banking Company of Sydney. question of "Crinoline"-was it or was it not Limited, the Bank of North Queensland, and abourd the vessel and towed with two-hawsers to were able to arrive at a definite conclusion. They had not once glanced on the course. Several of these much discussed garments were to be seen served till a future occasion.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial Hospital begs to acknowledge with thanks the

ollowing donations to the funds of the Hospital:-

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A Chinaman on board the Sishan, which was at Singapore on the 10th inst. was reported to have attacked and wounded three men with an would be incumbent on the Government to age in a fit of madness. While others were see that the emigrants were properly treated endeavouring to capture the assailant, he jumped overboard and was drowned.

The Kingsin steamship Aglaia will this time take another route from Lamburg for the Far posed upon in any way, and that the ships E st, as she is going first to Capetown to land during the last few days regarding an attack in which they sailed were properly fitted there the relieving craws for the German cruisers said to have been made on two posts on the Upper Alexandrine and Arrona. From the Cape the Mekong. The fact is that we have not received Aglaia will proceed to China and Japan.

Work on the railway from Shanhaikuan is being pushed on: From notes in our Shanghorrors it was decided by the British hai morning contemporary we gather that the Government that contract emigration should preliminary work of levelling the road has been except to British possessions, where the from that city a branch line will be made within Government could satisfy itself as to one mile of Moukden, which will be made the nnotion whence one line to Newshwang and another to Kirin will be made

A meeting of gentlemen interested in the holding of Gymkhana meetings during the summer was held yesterday afternoon in the billiard room of the Officers' Mess, Murray Barracks. Phere was a good attendance and it was unto alter it. The time seems to have arrived, animously resolved to hold Gymkhanas every month, the first to take place on Saturday afternoon. June 17th. A Committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements, and Capt. Thomas again kindly undertook the duties of

The Sudney Bulletin save: Queensland has not had quite enough of the Raub mine. Of war at Bangkok, one English and the other course, it was going to be a Mt. Morgan; it has German, and argues that they would stand by turned out lower than the average Queensland This Colony affords the most convenient mine. Like the returns, expenses and troubles were unforeseen. They started with a ten-head battery and then sent out 30 additional heads which were smashed up by a "rebellious" tribe. shown for such a course it is unreasonable Manager Hibby is still hopeful of better things, but in his last half-yearly report tells a woeful tale. A mining-manager, recently from the years ago the abuses that had occurred field, informs the writer that the mine is in very in connection with the emigration trade to swampy country, hence to work it by quarrying is questionable. He speaks more encouragingly of the adjoining ground opened up by another Co.

A Government Gasette extraordinary was ing appointments in the Hongkong Volunteer broken, but a closer inspection revealed more Corps: Field Battery. To be Captain, John fully her helpless state and served to indicate the member of one of these branches has always been cCallum, Esq., (date of former Commission 6th one thing, China has acquired some education January, 1888); to be Lieutenants, Henry in international intercourse and is better Edward Denson, Fieq., (date of former Commisable to protect her subjects abroad than she sion 6th November, 1888), Arthur Chapman, Esq., and William Machell. Esq; to be Surgeon- only nine months off the stocks at Port- will be made on behalf of the defendents of the was at that time. If emigration to Brazil Captain, James Cantlie, Esq., M.B., (date of Glasgow, whore she was built by the well-known fact that the temple has been assisted by public be permitted there is no reason why she former Commission 1st March, 1883). Machine shipbuilding firm of Russell & Co., who were Gun Company.-To be Acting Captain. Captain William Hugh Eric Murray, North Lancashire also the builders of the auxiliary sailing ship the interests of the immigrants and to report Regiment; to be Lientenants, John Armstrong, Marie Richmers, which was slightly larger at once should abuses spring up, in which Esq, and Edward Osborne, Esq; to be Surgeon- than the Bomali and which came to grief only which the defendents belong. The person who Lientenant, James Alfred Lowson, Esq., M.B.

Australia, and China to December 31 last over 5,000 tons of coal to Singapore, the biggest states:-After providing for bad and doubtful cargo that has ever left England, and was mak-Government would be willing to see emigra- debts, the net profits, with the addition of ing a second attempt (she had been frustrated £71,855 2s. 10d. The interim dividend paid in for home, when the diseater befel her which has at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, free of in- victims is very much the history of another, and If it is not allowed to take place from come tax, and that the balance of £15.855 2s, 10d. the following narrative is but a bald outline of extend the "Baring Guarantee" for a further taken in tow by the Shire Liner; the fury of period of one or two years, the amount guarants- the wind, the violence of the waves, the dreadful may be to be derived from the trade without \$25,000. Mr. W. Paterson and Sir H. S. Cun- that awful time ween they were contending with ningham, K.C.I.E, the directors who now retire | the elements for the mastery of the ship and the

The vicinsitudes of a sum of £500 in travelling i been drawn up by Mr. P. B. Baker, the able up for by the establishment of emigration. -in \$3,442.34, arriving in Hongkong on Aug-10. Aug. 10 remit from Hongkong \$3,442,34 to Now York at \$100 silver per \$67.75 gold. is still welcome and where he will receive arriving in New York on Sept. 10. Sept 10 remit \$2,832.15 gold to London at ex \$4.882 per £1, equal £477 12s. 6d., arriving in London on Sept. 19. This shows a loss of £22 7s.

political situation at Bangkok shows no signs of | mediately wore the ship round with her head to The Mogni steamer Argyll left Singapore improving. The Siamese continue their pre- the north-cast. The barometer was falling parations, despatching troops to the East, and rapidly, at four o'clook standing 29.72, and all fortifying the river as rapidly as possible. Euro. | the crew were on deak refucing sails and secur-Palsoe walls, or barracks, without a special per- six o'clock the lower foretop sail was blown away. drilled, and the pessantry are beginning to typhoon force. There was a tremendous cross yesterday in raing, and may be expected here on complain of the conscription. The Portuguese confused sea, and terrific squalls came from the gambout Bengo, from Macso, has arrived west and south-west, blowing all the sails out of for the protection of Portuguese interests the gaskets and carrying the maintopeall out The C. P. steamer Empress of China left Van- in the city. An American gunboat is of the ropes. The barometer stood 29.20, have been considered necessary in view of the as if some one had shaken it. While this probable rising of the disorderly element in | was occurring the mizen lower topsail and reefed Baugkok. There are now three foreign gun. spanker were blown out of the ropes with a loud from Murseilles by the M. M. steamer Saghalien, boats in the river-English, French, and Portu- report as if a big gun had been fired. At ten the prevailing uncertainty, and general dissatisfaction is expressed there at the turn affairs parently capsizing, when the fore top mast carried principal sufferers by the present stagnation.

> get a chance of looting innecent people's pro- accident is not very well known. perty. As for the foundling institutions, con- After drifting about for four days the Somali sionaries, they are conducted on the same | Carmarthenshire, which reports as follows:-tions of a like character People are not com- fresh N.E. wind and fine weather to Prates pelled to give their children if they themselves Shosls, thence light wind and very heavy conare averse to doing so. Persons caught, there- fused swell to lat. 146 N., long. 114.0 E., when fore, disseminating vile and false stories against | at 9.30 p.m., Sunday night, rockets were observed these institutions and the missionaries who come and on bearing down discovered the four-masted to China according to treaty to open such in- sailing ship Somali (Captain Morgan) dismasted the law and be severaly dealt with,

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MORE FAILURES. The Queensland National Bank, Limited, the

LONDON, 16th May.

Brisbane, have suspended payment, BANK NOTES A LEGAL TENDER The Government of Sydney has issued a decree making bank notes legal tender.

THE STRAITS MILITARY CONTRIBUTION. Lord Ripon, in replying to a deputation representing the Straits Settlements stated that the Colonial Office, the War Office, and the question of reducing the Military Contribution

FAILURE OF ANOTHER AUSTRALIAN

BANK. Private telegraphic advice received in the Co- tressing diseases are rapidly and permanently we have to go into a lot of ancient history.

THE FRENCH AND SIAMESE ON THE MEKONG.

The following oiroular was issued at Baigon by the Lieutenant Governor of Cochin-China and is published in the Progress of the 13th inst:-"Alarming rumours have been in circulation news from Khone for three days, but the situs. tion at Stung-trong is satisfactory. On the other hand, according to the reports of two Lactian boatmen, now at Stung-trong, Captain completed as far as Kinchow, which is as far as Thoroux, who was going up from Stung-trong the work is intended to be carried at present, but to Khone with three junks conveying provisions escorted by three tirailleurs, was captured together with the convoy by a certain number of individuals whom the two boatmen state were

"As a measure of prudence and in order to be prepared for every eventuality, reinforcements have been sent to Pnom-Penh for despatch to any points that may be threatened." Some unessiness soems to have been fel-

as to the safety of the gunboat Lutin, which had been sent to Bangkok with M Pavie on board, presumably on a diplematic mission. The Progree, however, points out that there were two other foreign men-of-

"HE BRITISH SHIP " SOMALI" DIS MASTED IN THE TYPHOON.

Yesterday morning the British four-masted steel ship Somali, the largest sailing vessel thenshire. Seen from a distance she presented They, however, always kept possession of this severity of the storm which had so crippled in charge of the temple or has put a man in respect. She is quite a new vessel, being the other week. The present is the first voyage The report of the Chartered Hank of India of the Somali to the East. She had brought out

by rotation, present themselves for re-election. safety of their lives, and their relieved feelings when the friendly light of the Carmarthenshire the Asiatic Quarterly Review. After an absence vessel being in ballast, and fair weather was exwere the squalls that it was doemed advisable to hand them down, and this was done. At eight o'clock the aspect of things was worse; there was less wind, but the barometer was falling, vivid flashes of lightning were lighting up the eastern and western horizon, and appearances generally indicated the leavy storm. By eleven o'clook the lull was broken and the wind was increasing momentarily, and all hands were on deck taking in the upper topsails and jib, a By 4 s.m. the wind had developed into a strong gale and was backing to the north west, while to which must be added interest on the capital heavy rain, thunder and lightning made consum of £500 at, say, 5 per cent. for eighty days, bis chief officer held a concentration, and they concluded that they were in the left end of the In the opinion of the Siam Free Press, the semi-circle of an approaching typhoon, and impeans are now prevented from entering the ling all movable articles about the decks. At Additional troops are every day being and at eight o'clock the wind was blowing with the same purpose. These measures and fell instantoneously two to three tenths guese." Meanwhile business is suffering from c'clock the wind was still veering to south andblowing most violently and the ship was aphave taken. British houses are, of course, the laway close to the cap, and the mainmast head gave way also, bringing down the mizen top gallantmast and everything connected with it. These disasters The N. C. Daily News has received a telegram had the effect of righting the ship considerably. from Yangehow to the effect that Tsao Tactai, Fifteen minutes later the minen topmest carried "Department of Public Safety," as the words showing how loud was the sound of the storm that the rowdies of that city had ben dis ship was now on her beam ends ud strainseminating the old stories against foreigners, ing and labouring very heavily, with all the In view of the strong opposition manifested the missionaries and their foundling institut wreckage dragging and humping heavily against once. To emphasize his measure the same official, great danger of foundering. By noon nothing who is to be congratulated on the promptness was left standing; the three lower masts word

> tinues the proclamation, of the foreign mis- as already mentioned, was picked up by the from Singapore to Hollo in ballast. On the previous Wednesday she was caught in a typhoon. at 1 a.m., Sunday morning, and towed till daybreak at reduced speed, at daylight we passed twosteel hawsers aboard but one carried away, so we continued our tow with one hawser; at noon Sunday we had towed her 52 miles; at 7 p.m wind and sea increasing we reduced speed, continued through the greater part of the night; Monday morning at daylight we passed the other hawser 24 hours 153 miles, and Tuesday at noon 129 miles, the wind and sea being unfavourable for our tow, having moderate winds and head sea; 4 p.m. passed Scottish Oriental steamer Mongkut bound South; Wednesday morning, 5 a.m. passed Gap Rock; 10 a.m., arrived at Hongkong, after

> > the nose and enstachian tubes.

towing Somali a distance of 483 miles.

SUPREME COURT. 17th May.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BEFORE HIS HONOUR MB. E. J. ACKROYD

Acting Chief Justice.

THE OWNERSHIP OF A CHINESE TEMPLE—AN INTERESTING CASE. This was a petition by Chan Liu Hing (suing n behalf of himself and other members of the Chun clan) against an alleged wrongful ejection from a Chinese temple situate on a small island adjoining Ap Li Chao by Chung Aking, Mon A Tsang, and Choi Sz, the defendants, and praying the Court to reinstate the plaintiffs possession "and for such other relief as the nature of the case may require." Mr. H. L Dennys represented the plainti and Mr. Wilkinson the defendants.

At the commencement of the hearing H Lordship said that he had been thinking that the case would be a very suitable one for the Squatters Commission to investigate if the parties were willing to have it decided in that manner. After some conversation on this suggestion His Lordship said that perhaps he had better hear what the nature of the case for the plaintiff was. Mr. Dennys-This suit, my lord, is brought with reference to a temple, that is dedicated to a god or idol called Hung Shing, which is situated on a very small islet between what is now called knows pretty well the way in which temples are generally erected in China. First of all there is a tree-a banyan or some such spreading treesituate near the water or near a stream, and then there is a stone at which people begin to worship, and at length some one a little richer than his neighbours presents a god, or "joss as it is generally termed here. In or about the year 1770 a man who, belonged to the

Chun olan or family-Ohan Yut-hing-presented a god and built over it a small temple or cover. The members of the Chun family are really the plaintiffs in this case now. affeat, was towed into port in a very disabled Little Hongkong but they have since moved condition by the Shire Line steamer Carmar- away and the majority of the clan live at Lama. issued yesterday afternoon notifying the follow. a sorry appearance with three of her masts temple and have always had a caretaker in charge of it. The man Chan Yut Hing had five sons, five branches of the family as it were, and some this monarch of the sea, well found in every possession who has received the fees paid by the worshippers and expended the necessary monies for repairs, do. I have no doubt that something

subscription. It has been a sisted in that way but the subscriptions were obtained from Victoria. Canton, Maeso, Yaumati, and all parts round and about, and not simply from Ap Li Chao to now represents the Chun family is Chun Lin Ring. He is the elder of the family and is in charge of its interests as far as this temple is concerned. He has from time to time had a man in charge, that is in actual possession, and on April 4th or theresbouts Chun A Kwai was in charge. He had been there about ten years and his father was there before him. There seems to have been some sort of complaint b pauple who went there to worship that the fees charged by him were too high and in consequence of that they said that he must go away. Accordingly Chan Lin Hing, the plaintiff, told him to go and be put in another man. Chan Sik-also a member of the Chan clan-to take charge of the place. Chun Sik only remained there a very sport time as on April 6th the defendants, assisted by others, came to the temple and forcibly sent him away, and they have refused since that date to allow him to go back. The real reason for sending this man Chun Kwai away was not the one out forward, that he charged too much to the worshippers, but because he objected allow a number of actors, who were there carry on some religions theatricals, to sleep i

the temple, and it was in consequence of that that the Society in the village for the carrying on of public worship complained to the plaintiff about Chun Kwai. Your lordship directed pleadings to be filed in this case and in accord ance with that I have filed them in Court. (M) Dennys read the petition, the first three para graphs of which deal with the facts above enumerated.) The fourth paragraph states :- "The said island of Ap Li Chao for ned part of the h nese Empire until the year 1841 when it was ceded by the then Emperor of China to the Queen o England and upon February 1st, 1841 a joint proclamation was issued by Her Majesty's ommander in Chief and plenipotentiary in which the inhabitants of Hongkong, including the said Chun clan, were secured in the enjoyinterest and since the said year 1841 the said Chun can have regularly poid all assestments and charges due to the Queen in respect of the ground upon which the said temple is situated. Paragraph 6 states:—" The annual value of the said Hung Shing temple and the tenement sought to be recovered in this suit does not exceed the sum of \$1.000." In the answer to the petition the defendants admit the truth the description of the defendants and the last clause which aspesses annual value of the temple at not more than \$1,000. The defendants then deny, in paragraph the plaintiff's right to see in a representative capacity. That is rather a populiar way of putting it, my lord, and I shall submit that the Chun clan has the right to go juto Court to de-

fend its interest and property by its proper Mr. Wilkinson-Although there is a rule a home which lays down that it is necessary before a body can sus in the name of one individual that the permission of the Court shall be obtain-

ed that has not been done. Mr. Dennys-I do not think there would be any difficulty in getting that permission, though do not admit that it is pecessary. The defendants in their answer also deny that the plaintiffs have been in possession of the temple since 1770, and they deny that the Chun famil were secured by the proclamation of 1841 in the enjoyment of the right of property to the ground on which the temple is erected. In an swer to paragraph 3 of the petition the defendanta say that the Chinese temple referred to was never award by, nor in the possession of, the plaintiff or the Chun clan nor has any care taker ever been placed in charge of the said temple by the plaintiff or the said chan, but the said temple was erected, more than 100 years ago by the then inhabitan's of Ap Li Chan, and since its erection a caretaker has from time to time been selected by the senior residents of the island and placed in charge of the said temple to look after the same, and has been permitted to collect the profits thereof and to retain such profit for his own benefit. And in the next paragraph of the snawer the defendants may that no money has ever been paid by the Chun clap in respect of the ground on which the temple stands but that the charges have been paid by the inhabitants of Ap Li Chec, or a Committee appointed by them. On further answer to paragraph 4 the defendants say that if any such proplamation as that which is therein alleged to have been issued was issued it could not apply to the plaintiff or the said Chun clan, they not being inhabitants of Hongkong. Finally the

there on behalf of the Chun clan; that as a shape or form. matter of fact he was there as the representative of the inhabitants of Ap Li Chao. If your lordship is satisfied that the temple had a caretaker in possession ever since

t was built, your lordship would be bound | CATABRH, HAY FRYER, CATABERAL DEAF- to consider that the plaintiff was entitled NESS.—A NEW Home TREATMENT.—Sufferers to recover. With reference to the suggestion Treasury would give due consideration to the are not generally aware that these diseases are thrown out that this matter might be referred contagious, or that they are due to the presence to the Squatters' Commission the suggestion has of living parasites in the lining membrane of only just been made and if your lordship, having Microscopic research, however, has proved it would be better to try it in that way I should meantime counsul will consult as to the course the later the better. this to be a fact, and the result is that a simple be glad of an adjournment in order that I may to be pursued. remedy has been formulated whereby these dis- consult my clients about it. There is no doubt

have kept it ever since. With reference to the question of aquatters' licenses, they have been granted to the caretaker. With reference to ancient records of this case I must tell your ordship that nearly all were destroyed in the typhoon of 1874, the title deeds, &c., were washed

away, but I have a squatter's license dated January 1st, 1892, which was given to Chun reports and accounts were adopted and the divi-Kwai, representing the Committee of the Houng Shing Temple, and it was granted for one year. And in 1887 on June 23rd permission was given by the Director of Public Works to Chun Kwai to erect a temporary temple of wood on payment of a dividend at the rate of 10 per Crown land close to the site of the present temple | cent. per annum (£4.166 Ss. of which has been while repairs to the latter building were being paid as an interim dividend) and £1,750 as a effected. There is also a paper duted September 1st, 1877. I don't put these documents forward as showing any absolute title but they do show that the carotaker was treated at that time es the person owning the temple, and the caretaker was put in there by the Chun clan.

His Lordship-Do not those documents show hat the land belongs to the Government? Mr. Dennys-There has been no lease of the and ever granted. His Lordship-But how can you flud out who

owns the property without the Government being included in the suit. The land belongs Mr. Dennya-The land passed into the hands

the Government when the island was ceded but at the same time the Government underook by the proclamation of February 1st, 1842. to secure the enjoyment of the private property Aberdeen and Ap Li Chao. Your Lordship in respect of the ground on which the temple His Lordship-You soom to have acknowledge

ed the right of the Government by taking out a permit to occupy the land.

Mr. Dennys-I cannot deny, my lord; that to have paid SI for the last year, and I cannot Secretary. We have now received the following, dony that the ground there must in some way which gives the sequel :-be subject to the Crown, but it did not belong. may point out, to the same clan as the island Hongkong belonged to. The island of Hongkong belonged to the Tung family while Ap Li Chao belonged to the Wong family.

lease of this ground, on which the temple stands, service by the Governor of the Colony. Sir and it may have been granted now. Suppose 1 find that this property belongs to you; that briefly are as follows:-By a letter from the would be in contradiction of the lease delivered | local Colonial Secretary dated the 29th day

he question of a lease, my lord, until the plead- tary of State his salary was to be \$800 a year. ings were filed and then I was told that ap- and from that date up to the 3lat day of olication had been sent in by the defendants August 1892 he regularly received on the last or a lease of this land. Surely no greater day of every month \$66.663 as salary. On the contempt of Court could be committed if that has 19th day of September, 1892, he was suddenly inbeen done while the suit was pending in the Court. which It was done.

no part whatever in the matter.

to the property and three weeks later the de- was tendered to Mr. Metzgen as his salary for of it from the Government. time of the ceding of the colony.

by taking out a squatter's licence. but I have no doubt my clients have done as Solicitor and taking proceedings against the your Lordship has suggested. 'Of course after, Government he island was taken over the whole of the property became leasehold in Hongkong, as I no-

His Lordship-Was it not your proper course. Mr. Dennys, to represent to the Government that ou understood they were going to issue a leas, subject from attempting to maintain his rights to some property, the ownership of which was in in a Court of Justice appeared to be of

derstand it and all the Queen undersook to do l

His Lordship-But you say you knew about it? jabip the Marquis of Ripon has now given his Mr. Dennys-I was promised information by decision, and as the grievance was widely Mr. Shepherd before the lease was to be is ned, published, it seems but a due acknowledgment have communicated with the Government of the impartiality of this great statesman, brough the police, and their answer is that the who, amid the many important matters which police have not taken any part in the dispute demand his attention, has not failed to do justice. whatever and we have now come to Court for your leven to a subordinate official in so small a Galony

ordship to decide the ownership.

that there were two applications they would to establish three points:have at once referred the matter to the [1.1-That the Governor was wrong in dis-Squatters Commission and you would be bound imissing Mr. Metzgen. by their decision. But would the Government (2.)—That the Secretary of State does not be bound by any decision I gave? Should my approve of the Governor's action in calling upon ment of their lating private property and judgment be against the defendants no doubt Mr. Metzgen to refund salary already received. they would then fight on their lease. Mr. Dannys-I cannot understand the Govern-

> ment granting such a lease. His Lordship-I am quite sure that the Guvernment did not know of any adverse claim or they would have referred the matter to the has accepted the offer made to him and has to-Squatters' Commission. Mr. Dennys-Mr. Shepherd promised to give me information of anything that was done. H

mentioned to me incidentally that the other side had applied for a lease. He said that it was not granted, and that he would give me notice before it was granted. Mr. Wilkinson-I believe, my lord, the lease has been granted, but it has not yet been handed

Mr. Dennys-I cannot understand my friend advising his clients to go behind the Court and get a license while the matter was pending. It is the grossest contempt of Court. Mr. Wilkinson-It was applied for long before this action was commenced.

Mr. Dennys-it could not be long before. As a matter of fast my lord this matter was commonced so far as this Court is concerned on April 7th when the man Chun Kwai was charged by the defendants with stealing a jan of oil and other things. The Magistrate on bearing the circumstances said the matter was a civil suit and he sent them to the Supreme Court Mr. Wilkinson-The Magistrate decided that

he had no jurisdiction. His Lordship-It doesn't matter to me what

he Magistrat i decided. Mr. Dennys-We came to the Court of once. and since then they have applied for a new lease. His Lordship-The writ was taken out on April 24th and application for a lease was made to the Director of Public Works on April 17th Mr. Wilkinson-I think your Lordship will find that application was made before that to the Colonial Secretary, who referred it to the Director of Public Works. Mr. Dennys-I wrote to the police-

His Lordship.-The police would not report

he matter to the Colonial Secretary or the Director of Public Works. Mr. Dennys-Will your lordship allow mo time to consider the advisability of having the case brought before the Squatters Commission P His Lordship-Supposing the Government

have promised to grant a lease, and the papers for the lease have been made out, what would be your position then? Mr Dennys-I presume they have made out the lease on the representation of facts which do | Lloyd's had received, from the Director of the not exist. Therefore their promise would not | Hongkong Observatory, copy of a letter ad-

be binding if it was made on the repre- dressed to Captain A. G. Froud, the secretary defendants assert that Chun Kwai was placed sentation that the temple belonged to these of the Shipmasters' Society, with reference to a by the inhabitants of Ap Li Chao as people I have no doubt that the Government wish expressed that the Government would take caretaker of the temple and dismissed thought that this temple had been in the hands in hand the matter of setting out the best routes The tow-rope was passed and the tow commenced by them, not by the plaintiff, for miscon- of these people and kept up by them, whereas, in the China Seas. Captain Froud has now adduct. It seems to me, my lord, that the as a matter of fact these people did not exist, as dressed the owners of vessels trading to China affirmative is upon the plaintiff to prove that a body, until 100 years after this temple was on the subject in the following terms:the thun clan were in possession of this temple built. No people were living on the island of and that Chun Sik was there by his order and Ap Li Chao until years after the British Goturned out by the defendants' action. On the vernment came here. And as a matter of fact I other hand, however, if it is proved that he was may also state that this temple is not actually management of this society to beg, on behalf of actually there on behalf of the Chun clau, then on Ap Li Chao at all, but on a little islet, about Mr. Deberck, director of the Hongkong Obserit would be for the defendants to prove to your an acre in area, which is reached by a short vatory, for the loan of log-books from you for lordship that he had no right to be there; that bridge from Ap Li Chao. If my friend objects the purpose of extracting information by which the property really belonged to the inhabitants to the case going to the Squatters Commission to indicate the safest, most economical, and of Ap Li Chao, and that he was their servant, for decision I shall apply to the Court to be otherwise best routes through the Chinese and They must prove that he had no right to be allowed to put it to the Government in some adjacent seas for steamers and other vessels em-

Mr. Wilkinson-You ought to have done your good offices with your officers to influence After some discussion on the advisability of of current abstract logs, containing the requisite belongs to the Chun clan, and that they have an adjournment Mr. Dennys agreed that the meteorological data, to the observatory. case ought to be referred to the Squatters Com-

mission in order that the position of the Government on the question of the isputed ownership the North Atlantic by the hydrographical aumight be shown. Mr. Wilkinson applied that the plaintiff should furnish security for costs. His Lordship refused this application and ad- and south in the China seas, for each month of heard what the case for the plaintiff is, thinks journed the case until Friday morning. In the say, ten or twelve consecutive years since 1871,

LIVER COMPLAINT. - Dr. King's Dandelion bely lony yesterday appounced the failure of the City oured by a few simple applications made at home | His Lordship-It resolves itself into a pure and Quinine Liver Pills, without Mercury, are of Melbourne Bank. Limited. The Bank is a by the patient once in two weeks. A pamphlet quest on of fact—whether the temple belongs to a potent remedy; remove all Liver and Stomach am, Sir, yours faithfully, local institution with an authorised capital of explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt the Chan family or the inhabitants of Ap hi Complaints. Dillou ness, Headache, Sickness, "A. G. Froun, Liout. I 22.00 : 000 in 400,000 shares of 25 each, of which of 2hit, stamp by A. Hurron Dixon, 43 and 45. Chao.

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HONGKONG AND OHINA GAS COMPANY.

The ordinary annual meeting was held at the offices; Gresham House, London, on the 12th April: Mr. Edward Woods presided. The dend sanctioned. The report to Dec. 91 last state d as follows :- The amount evailable for dividend £10,868 10s. 5d., the directors recommend should be dealt with as follows :- £6.966 8s. in bonus at the rate of 21 per cent. per annum (both free of Income Tax), leaving £2,152 2s. 5d. to be carried forward. The Company's new works at Kowloon are now finished, and gas has been supplied to the district since November 1. The new storage station at Wanchai is also completed. The directors regret to appounce the death of Mr. C. E. Waldnok, who has been Secretary of the Company since 1865. They have appointed Mr. John Sproxton to the vacant post.

THE RIGHT OF CIVIL SERVANTS TO SUE THE GOVERNMENT.

Some time ago we received from British Honduras a printed copy of a letter addressed to the Secretary of State with reference to a question as to salary which had arisen between a junior officer of the Service and the Government, together with a number of enclosures, an angry correspondence having been conducted between the claimant's legal representative and the Colonial

Belize, 3rd April, 1893 Sir.—A short time ago I sent you a copy of a letter written to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, requesting his kind consideration of the circumstances under which Mr. Metzgen His Lordship-I happen to know that ap- an officer in the employ of the Government of plication has been made by the defendants for a British Honduras, had been diamissed from the Cornelius Alfred Moloney. The facts very of December, 1891. Mr. Metzgen was informed Mr. Dennys-I did not hear anything about that subject to the approval of the Secreformed that his salary was to be reduced re-His Lordship-I do not know the date on trospectively as from the 16th day of December. 1891, to \$50 a month and that from this \$50 a Mr. Dennys-I put myself in communication month would be deducted the extra 316,664 with the police and they denied having had any. I which he had been receiving monthly from the thing to do with the forcible ejection of this man, 16th day of December, 1891. Against this dehun Sik, and they stated that they had taken loision he protested but no not ca being taken of his protest be consulted a Solicitor and in-His Lordship-The question is what would be structed him to write to the Government. the effect of the Crown lease if one is granted to No reply was given to the letter, but the defendants. Suppose I find you are entitled on the 30th day of September, 1892, \$50 endants come and say "We have got a lease the past month, but as he declined to accept it except under protest it was withheld by the Mr. Dannys-The land only belongs to the Government. Thirteen days after, an action Government subject to the rights existing at the was commenced by Mr. Metzgen against the Government to recover the salary which he His Lordship—Your clients seem to acknow- claimed as properly due to him. The Governor ledge the paramount right of the Government availing himself of his prerogative refused to allow the action to proceed, and shortly after-Mr. Donnys-There is nothing to identify words dismissed Mr. Maizgan from the service this piece of ground on which this temple stands on a charge of insubordination in consulting a

Against this decision Mr. Metzgen through his legal adviser appealed to the Secretary of State for the Colonies respectfully requesting was to give these people a lease of the property an enquiry into the circumstances of the one and a reconsideration of the action of the Governor. As the principle involved in the policy of the Governor in preventing a British general interest to all Colonists, and indeed to Mr. Dennys-This was done quite behind my all British subjects, copies of the letter to the Secretary of State were circulated. His Lordas British Honduras, to send you a copy of his His Lordship—If the Government had known | reply. The Secretary of State's decision appears

> (3.)-That the Secretary of State does not approve of the action of the Government in debarring Mr. Metzgen from claiming damages against the Government in a Court of law. In conclusion I may add that Mr. Metzgen turned to his place in the Treasury .- Yours

> > F. M. MAXWELL Barrister at Law.

Colonial Secretary's Office. Belize, 30th March, 1893 Sir, -With reference to Mr. McKinney's letters Nos. 812 and 818 of the 15th and 22nd of November, 1892, I am directed by the Governor to inform you that His Excellency has 'received from the Right Hononrable the Scoretary of State for the Colonies the following decision in Mr. Metzgen's case which has been communicated to that officer through the head of the de-

partment:--2.—The Marquis of Ripon does not consider that Mr. Metagen's conduct subsequent to his transfer to the office of 4th clark in the Treasury and Customs Department has been such as to call for his dismissal from the service of the

2.—In these circumstances the Governor has been just racted to offer to re-instate Mr. Metzgen in the office of 4th, clerk in the Trausary and Customs Department at the maximum salary of that office, namely, \$75) per aunum as from the 1st September last, on the understanding that when a vacancy occurs in an office with a salary of \$800 he will be appointed to it, if His Excellency thinks him fit for it. No refund of salary will be required from Mr. Motsgen. 3.—If Mr. Metzgen refuses this offer His Excellency will withdraw his voto on Mr. Metzgen's first action against the Government, and he will be at liberty to prosecute, but in that case the offer of re-employment in the public service is withdrawn.-I have the honour to be, Sir, your

E. B. SWEET-ESCOTT Acting Colonial Secretary F. M. Maxwell, Est.

ROUTES THROUGH THE CHINA SEA.

We recently noticed that the Secretary of " Shiomasters' Society.

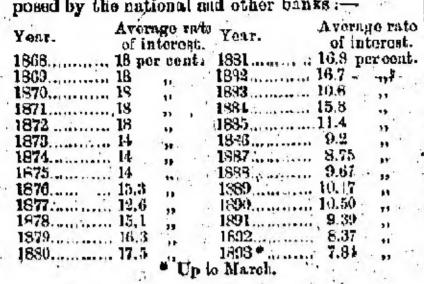
"London, E C., 10th April. "Sir.—I am directed by the committee of ployed there. Also to ask for the favour of those who may be able and willing to cend copies "By these means it is hoped to utilise experience for future guidance, as is being done in thorities of the United States.

"The committee would respectfully suggest the loan of one log-book, covering voyages north "Having undertaken to assist in working out

these problems, the society mak a this appeal for "I enclose a copy of Mr. Deberck's letter, and

" A. G. FROUD, Liout. R.N.R., Secretary. "P.S -A letter of similar purport is being 22 Us. was paid up. The reserve fond amounted | East Bloor St., Tomorro, Canada, Scientific | Mr. Dennys, The Wong family originally own patient. Made only in London: Sold every, sent to other companies whose ships are engaged to 2410,000 and the deposite to 26078,2871 American. Alteristics 1970 and the property and gave it to the Chan class who where.

again unless there is some extraordinary cause in the future. Cases of lilegal usury excepted, it was once as high as 30 per cent, a year, but is at present less than 8 per cent. The following is the result of investigations by the Tokyo Bankers' Union, showing the average rate of interest imposed by the national and other banks:-



PORTUGUESE CONSULAR JURIS-DICTION IN JAPAN.

When last year the question of the Portuguese Treaty being abrogated drew forth artieles from newspapers in the East and in the West, the Times, misled by the able but specious to strike Great Britain at a valuerable point, and pleading of its correspondent who was in the employ of the Japanese Government, delivered itself of the following lucid negacion: "The question is how long, in such circumstances, will other Powers think it worth their while to maintain the fonce. By submitting to Japanese jurisdiction. the subjects of Portugal would, on the conclusion of a Treaty of equality, be admitted to the privileges of trade, residence, and travel without restriction, and thus, as our correspondent points out, they would have a clear start of the subjects of other Powers, from whom these privileges which Sir Edward said he hoped would end must continue to be withheld as long as the equally satisfactorily to Britain, Afghanistan, present treaties remain in force. If the status and China. quo is to be maintained, it is perhaps as well that this advantage should only be secured by a Power so supine, so dilatory, and so unen-terprising as Portugal, but it seems certain that. as soon as one of the more active and enterprising of the Powers thinks it worth its while to purchase greater freedom of commercial intercourse with Japan by the surrender of its territorial-jurisdiction, the whole-system-of-extraterritoriality as applied to Japan must forthwith come to an end." Since that leader was penned several months have elansed. The Portuguese have had the advantage of being deprived of all their privileges held under their treaty without being relieved of any of the restrictions as to residence, and they have had conferred apon them the inestimable henefits of being tried by Japanese laws. The result is undisputed. Senor da Borja is dispatched to Japan with the object of trying to recover the privileges so abruptly withhold, and nothing has happened to make the Portuguese anxious to make a complete surrender. On the contary the experience of the last eight or nine months has sufficed to impress upon them the greatness of their loss and the dangers of the future. They seek not the jurisdiction of the Japanese, but if they could return to the status que would gladly relinquish all those brilliant opportunities which the Times lender writer so glowingly depicted We doubt, however, if the Minister from Macac will be successful in his mission. It is indeed, not easy to sympathize with Portugal in the attitude she has maintained throughout. For some reasons, presumably comomical, Portuga anddealy suppressed by Royal Decree the Con sulate general in Tokyo. The Vice-Consul had in 1887 been placed under the jurisdiction of the Consul at Tukyo in 1847, and obviously if his post ceased to exist they could no longer be considered to hold office. Japan expostulated, but in vain her negotiations were treated with the utmost discourtesy, the discourtesy of confemptuous silence. Thereupon the Emperor of Japan issued an altimatum to the effect that if no action were taken by Cortugal the Japanese would resume jurisdiction. This also was ignored, and Japan Campbell, Moore & Co. put her threats into execution. In this we consider Japan was perfectly justified. A nation China Sugar that cannot treat another with ordinary courtesy where important matters are concerned does not deserve respect. The unfortunate portion of the whole affair is the anomalous position in Dakin, Craicks &&Co. which Portuguese residents have been placed. Dairy Farm Co. They are under Japanese jurisdiction but they Forwick & Co., Goo. are simply treated as foreigners with none of Green Island Cement the rights and all the inconveniences of H. Brick & Coment. citizenship. It is an ignominious position H. A. C. Bakery from which they ought to be extricated. We trust extrication will result from the Macao Minister's visit, but it will be no fault of Japan's if his representations be coldly received, H. & K. Wharf & G. and his protestations made light of. Yet there is one point which somewhat complicates the situation, and appears to indicate that the Imperial itagolamanifesto was never intended to be roully effective. None of the other Consuls even unto this day have been officially notified that the Portuguese rights have been abrogated. Consequently in the eyes of the foreign Consuls, the Portuguese Vice Consuls still hold office. This may indicate that Japan was anxious to

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reserve a loop-hole to return to the status one i

the experiment proved unsatisfactory. The ex-

periment, all will admit, has proved an absolute

failure. Japan has not bound ted, while the

Portuguese are discontented, and a return to the

old order of things would be a most welcome

solution of the difficulty.—Hyogo News.

The M. M. steamer Soghalion, with the French mail of the 1 th ale, arrived yesterday. The following telegrams are from the Times of t eylon:

THE REVISION OF CURRENCY LAWS. NEW YORK, 28th April. Mr. Carlisle, Secretary to the Treasury, has conferred with some of the leading bankers, to whom he declared that the issue of gold bonds was only a last resort, inasmuch as it, would retard the repeal of the Sherman Act, wherewith the revision of currency laws should begin. THE QUEEN RETURNED TO WINDSOE. LONDON, 29th April.

The Queen has arrived at Windsor Castle from Florence.

NO IMPERIAL PENNY POSTAGE. LONDON, 29th April. In the House of Commons last night Mr.

Loder's motion for penny postage throughout, the Empire was withdrawn on the Postmuster. venue of one handred thousand pounds beyond of we years old Malws ... \$532 the loss resulting from the reduction in foreign (6, 8, 5 years' old Malwa \$540 1 to 31 and colonial rate of postage to twopence halfpenny. Sereever, the sanction of those countries which are parties to the international postal lata: (Old) ... { Low Nos. \$5471 } convention would be necessary.

LONDON, 29th April. The death is an rounced of Prince Dondakoff Korsakoff.

LONDON, lst May. The death is announced of General James Barn THE EMPEROR OF GERMANY. LONDON, 1st May. After splendid fetes at Nuples the Emperor and Empress of Germany have started with the King and Queen of Italy for Spezzie, whence Wladivostock ... their Imperial Majesties proceed to Berlin.

DISAPPEARANCE OF THE CHOLERA.

LONDON, 1st May. Cholera has disappeared at Lorient. A LENGTHY BANK HOLIDAY. MELBOURNE, let May. The Government of Victoria, to prevent a Macao

panie, has proclaimed a bank holiday from to- Hollow day and extending to Friday next, both days Haiphong inclusive. This step has been taken without Bolinac consulting the Banks. Several banks are open Capo S. James to-day, notwithstanding the above order, for eashing their own cheques. THE HERBCHELL COMMITTEE

LONDON, 2nd May. In the House of Commons last night Mr. Russell. the Under Secretary for India, in reply to Amoy of the Herschell Committee were nearing com- Swatow 29.78 80 Lord Randolph Churchill, sa d that the labours | Anping advance of the Committee's report.

THE EXPORTATION OF WHEAT FROM INDIA. Macao LONDON, 2nd May. Mr. Russell, in roply to questions put by Mr. Haiphong Baldwin, said that, if European importers of Bolinan manage wheat from India demanded cleaner grain, exporters would be a light to supply it. Government, he said, had surgested to India to establish ment, he said, had surgested to India to establish on the 3th is now N. W. of Bolinco. Barometer falling slowly clausters at the chief wheat murts. He added in S. Chins, rising in Luxon. Gradients slight, was slight that it was not the intention of Government to records a Wheat Francis Act.

Telegraphic connection between Hongkong and the Obsert propost a Wheat Francis Act. propose a Wheat Frauds Act.

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	FACTORY LABOUR IN INDIA. LONDON, 2nd May.	1
In	only to further questions Mr. Russell said ord Kimberley had requested Mr. Asquith	
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dition	o proceed to India to report on the con- of factory labour there, and especially in	1
regard	to the work of women and young people	

OPENING OF THE CHICAGO EXHIBITION. CHICAGO. 1st May. President Cleveland opened the Chicago World's Fair to-day with great ceremony. After the inaugural speech the President pressed a button which at once set in motion the whole of the machinery and fountains, smid salvots of artillery, the ringing of bells, and the cheersof the enormous mass of people present. Everything passed off well, and the ceremony was pronounced a complete success.

MAY DAY ON THE CONTINENT. LONDON, 2nd May, May-day passed off quietly throughout the Continent, except at Marsoilles, where skirmishes took place between the police and those taking

part in demonstrations, with the result that several were injured. RUSSIA AND THE PAMIES: QUESTION IN THE HOUSE. LONDON, 3rd May.
In the House of Commons last night Mr. Bowles called the attention to the refusal of Government to give any official news regarding the action of Russia in the Pamirs, and said he was certain that the ultimate aim of Russia was

the duty of Britain, therefore, was to stem the Sir Edward Grey, Under Foreign Secretarys in reply, said that the presentation of the papers in question to the House would only delay the difficult negotiations which were proceeding with Russia. Great Britain. he added, would send a commission of enquiry to the Pamirs, and Russia had given explicit assurance to abstain from ex-

STRIKE OF JUTE WORKERS. LONDON, 3rd May. Twenty thousand jute workers have struck work at Dundee against a five per cent. reduc-

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. WEDNESDAY, 17th May. CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

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THE WEATHER.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER

16TH MAY, AT 4 P.M.

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HONGKONG BEGISTER. Previous On date On date day 4 p.m. at 10 a.m. at 1 p.m. 29.81 29.73 29.71 Temperature Porce 0.00 Weather

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Assistant Meteorologist. Hongkong Observatory, May 17th, 1893 MESSES. PALCONES & Co.'s REGISTER, MAY. LITE. Barometer J A.M. .. 29.83 Thorm: 9 A.M. (Wet bulb) 78 Barometer 1 P.M. .. 29.75 Thorm. 1 P.M. (Wet bulb) 79 Barometer 4 P.M. 29.76 Therm. 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) 71 Thermon. 3 A.m. 81 Therm. Maximum 8

REPORTS. The British steamer Mogul, from Tacoma via Yokohama and Mnji 20th April, had moderate weather and sea throughout.

The British steamer Haitan, from Feechow 4th May, Amoy 15th, and Swatow 16th, had moderate N.E. breeze and sea, overcast and cloudy to Dodd Island; thence to Amoy light variable airs and cloudy. From Amoy to Lammocks light variable airs and dense fog; thence. to Swatow light N.E. airs and bazy. From Swatow to Hougkoug moderate to light easterly winds, overcast and cloudy, heavy S.E. swell. Steamers in Foochow :- Hasshin and Oscarshal. In Amoy: - Hailoong, Else, a d Spanish man-ofwar. In Swatow :- Hothow, Taksang, Pacting

Canton, and Bungpai. The British ateamer Choyenng, from Shang. TEL, EXTENSION DINING TABLE hai 13th May, experienced light easterly sirs and | (Solid Teak, Hall & Holtz make), Black and Gold dense fog to Amey. Arriving in outer harbour CABINET, DINNER WAGGON, DINon 15th at 4.30 p.m., leaving at 5 p.m., had light
variable airs and dense fog with misty rain to
STEADS, MARBLE-TOP WASHSTANDS Swatow, which port reached on 16th. Left CARPETS, PICTURES, ORNAMENTS, Swatow on 16th, and had moderate to light CURTAINS, ELECTRO-PLATED and E.N.E. winds and hazy weather, Bar: fell rapid. GLASS WARE. ly to 29.90, 13th May passed Empress of Japan. 1 Splendid Large COOKING STOVE, ICE off Tungsha, from Shanghal for Van. CHEST, WASHING MACHINE, MEAT conver, and French mail Natal. 16th May SAFE, J NRICKSHA, HILL CHAIR, BIpassed Taksang, Canton, Fooksang, Heihom, CYCLE. &c., &c. Chefoo, and Paoling. 17th May Kungpai and ... 1 DOUBLE BARRELLED FOWLING. Hailan at Swatow, and Cheang Hock Kian at PIECE.

VESSELS PASSED ANJER. May 1, Ned. str. Koningin Emma, March 2, from Hamburg for Batavia. 2, Brit. str. India, Johnston, March 29, from London for Batavia. 2. Ned. str. Prinses Sophie, Bakker, March 25, from Australian for Botavia. 3. British str. Wildcroft, from Batoum for Batavia. 3, Ned. bark Burgemeester Joukbeer Cosnen, FITHE Undersigned has received instructions Kruyt, April, 24, from Batavia for Melbourne. I from Messrs. GILMAN & Co.,

South Ninepins.

S. British str. Avoca, Campbell, May 3, from Batavia for London. 3. Ned. str. Burgemeester den Tex, Weber, May 3, from Batavia for Amsterdam. PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR HONGKONG.

Par P. and O. steamer Parramatia, from London, April 14.-Col. W. L. Barr. From Brindisi, March 23 .- Mr. J. Macab. Per P. & O. steamer Resetta, from London, April 20.-Rev. H. Joyce. Per P. & O. steamer Britannia, from London, April 28 .- Lieut. R. J. Carrey, Mr. J. F. Wingent, Mrs. Wingent.

AMOY SHIPPING.

11. Almority. Brit. des.-boat, from Swatow. 12, Toonan, Chinese str., from Swatow. 13. Tholes, British str., from Hongkong. DEPARTURES. 11, Tameni, British str., for Shanghai. 12. Fokien, British str., for Swatow.
13. Elisabeth, German bark, for Newchwarg. 13, Alserity, British des.-boat, for Foochow.

FOOCHOW SHIPPING. May-ARRIVALS. , Imagos, Nor. bark, from Singapore. 6, Kow Shing, British str., from Shanghai, 6, Namon, British str., from Hongkong. 9. Oscarshal, Nor. str., from Nagasaki. 11. Hueshin, Chi. str., from Shanghai. 12. Haitan, British str., from Hongkong. DEPARTURES. Galveston, German bark, for Tientain.

10, Cito, German str., for Shanghai. NOTICES OF FIRMS

9. Namos, British str., for Hongkong,

NOTICE. TAR. ALBERT BECKER has been adthe 1st day of January, 1893. SANDER & CO.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1893. DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PART-NERSHIP which has for some time past been carried on by EASSARDAS KARRAMCHAND and PESSOMALL HOTCHAND, at No. 102, Wellington Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, under the firm name or style of OODHA-MULL ROOPCHAND AND COMPANY, in the trade or business of Indian Merobants, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

The said PESSOMALL HOTCHAND will continue WARE to carry on the said business as heretofore at No. 102, Wellington Street aforesaid, and will be responsible for all the debts and liabilities of the firm, and is authorized to collect all accounts and outstandings due to the firm. As witness our hands this Twolfth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-

EASSARDAS KARRAMCHAND PESSOMALL HOTCHAND.

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MOW TACK. Hongkong, 19th April, 1893. 油生益天辦承您茂

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THE AMERICAN MAIL The O. & O. stenmer Belgic, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Honolulu and Yokohama, on the 4th inst. The P. M. steamer Peru, with the American mail, left San Francisco on the 13th May.

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The N. P. steamer Victoria left Victoria on the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily balance.

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For Shanghai, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Por Saghalien, to-day, the 18th inst , at 9.30. A.M. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Yiksang, today, the 18th lasts, at 9.30 A.M. For Hongay.—Per Cape Colonna, to-day, the 18th inst., at 9.30 A.M.

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To-morrow, Daylight.

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About 22nd inst.

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"ULYSSES" are heraby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consigneer risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 17th fust. Goods undelivered after the 24th instant will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 25th inst. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 16th May, 1893. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM TRIESTE, VENICE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAII, SUAKIM, MASSA-WAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO. PENANG AND SINGA-PORE IME Steamship.

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notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be Bent in to the Undersigned before NOON on the 22nd inst, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd inst will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co., - Agents. Hongkong, 15th May, 1893.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. 8.8. "GLAMORGANSHIRE" FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP,

LONDON, AND STRAITS. MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby inform. ed that all Goods are being landed at their Spinaway, Brit, 3-m. seh., 324, Garrick, May 14, risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary he given before Noon To-Mos. Picciels, German str., 874, E. Hass, May 10,

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 23rd inst. or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to he left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 23rd inst., at 3 r.M.

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HONGRONG. STRAMERS. Amoy, German steamer, 662, Wulff, May 9, Ed. Scholhans & Co Argus, British steamer, 1,822, Johnson, May 15, Geo. R. Stevens Bantam, Dutch str., 1,520, Bergh, May 10, Lauts & Wegoner Benlevig, British str., 1,739, Boutilier, May 17 Gibb. Livingston & Co Benvenue, British str., 1,467, Thomson, May 13, Gibb. Livingston & Co Cape Colonna, Brit. str., 1,787, Allion, May 11, Jardine, Matheson & Co Carmarthausbire, Brit. str., 1,776, Vyeyan, May, 17. Gibb, Livingston & Co Chins, American str., 5,288, Seabury, May 15, P. M. S. S. Co., for San Francisco City of Peking, Arr. str., 3,129, Searle, May 8, P. M. S. S. Co., for San Francisco Deuteros, German str., 1,198, Dinse, May 16, Siemssen & Co Empress of Japan, British str., 3,003, Geo. A. Lee, May 15, C. P. R. Co., for Vancouver Putshan, British str., 1,425, W. J. Righy, ti. & M. Steamboat On, for Canton Glamorgaushire, Brit. str., 1,849, Jackson, May 16, Dedwell, Carlill & Co Haitan, British str., 1,182, Goddard, May 17, Douglas Lapraik & Co., for Coast Ports Hankow, British str., 2,235, Lloyd, Butterfield & Swire, for Canton Houngshan, British str., 1.054. W. E. Clarke, H. C. & M. Steamboat Co., for Macao Honam, British'str., 1,314, G. B. Lefavour, H. C. & M. Steamboat Co., for Canton Java, British steamer, 2,632, Tillard, May 17, P. & O. S. N. Co., for Shinghai Riel, German str., 831, Krutzfeldt, May 10. Melobers & Co Kiungebow, British etr., 298, T. A. Webster, H. C. & M. Steamboat the Loo Sok, British str., 1,020, Benson, May 13, Yuen Fat Hong Magul, British str., 1,827, Golding, May 17, Dodwell, Carlill & Co

Pakling, British steamer, 1,911, Long. May 8 Arnhold, Karberg & Co., for Shanghai, &co Pasig, Hritish str., 284, Chinesa, for Cauton Phra Chula Chom Klao, Brit. str., 1,012, Morris, May 17. Yuen Fat Hong Powan, British str., 1,842, S. W. Goggin, II. & M. Steamboat Oc., for Centon Propontis, British str., 1,387, Farrand, Mar. 14, Arnhold Karberg & 130 Queen Anne, British str., 1,810, Even, May 15, Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Rio, German steamer, 1,108; Davidsen, May 14, Riversdale, British atr. 1,311, Peck, April 25, Dedwell, Carlill & Co Romulus, Span, str., 531, Mondiguren, April 4, Shewar & Co Saghalien, French str., 2.095, Hom ry, May 17, Messageries Maritimes, for Shanghai San Antonio, Span. str., 337, Fribar, May 15; Strathleven, Brit. str. 1,588, Cormack, May 14, Dodwell, Carlill & Un Strathlyon, Stritish str., 1,511, Gibson, May 14. Dodwell Carlill & Co Sungkiang, British str., 994, Dodd, May 15 Butterfield & Swire Tsi On, British etr., 769, Golelouski, Chinese, for Canton Tailes, German str., 822, Calendor, May Meyer & Co Teviot, British str., 1, 149, Ferrier, May

Nanshan, British str., 805, Blackburne, May 15,

Ooriyis, British str., 419, May 23, Chinese, lo

Hop Hing Hong

Verone, British str., 1,876, Tuoquo, May P. & O. S. N. Co Yikan g. British str., 84", Waddil v., May 14, Jardine, Matheson & Co., for Manile Zafiro, British str., 675, A. W. R. Cobban, May 16, Shewan & Co., for Manila Zamha-i, British str., 1,560, Edwar Is. May !. Didwell, Carlill & Co BAILING VESSELS. A'tair. British bark. 075, Mathow, My Butterfield & Swir Celtio Chief, dritish ship, 1,747, Owon, Mer. Stewan & Co., for San Francisco

Mabitant, British ship, 1,619, Potter, May Melchers & Co Iron Duke, Gorman bk., 1,113, Hashagen, Apr. 5, euter Brookelmann & Co Jo-ephus, Amr. ship, 1,430, Rogers, April 1, Renter, Brookelman & Co Milly, Corman schooner, 93, Kesster, April 16, Siemsson & Co Omega, British bark, 480, Brown, May 16, Papa, German bark, 718, Thoem, Jan. 17, Wieler & Co Paramita, Amr. ship, 1.493, S. nle, April 21, R. R. Thomas, Amr. sh., 1,332, Niohole, Mar. 12 Shewan & Co-Senator, British ship, 1,495, Smith, Mar 22. Melobers & Co Somali, Brit. 4-m. sh., 3,392, Morgan, May 17,

Velocity, British bark, 4:1, Martin, Feb. 25, In Port on 13th May, 1893.

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